

# Coming Events at Ocotillo Wells

FRIENDS OF OCOTILLO WELLS

# CLEANUP!

DECEMBER 29TH, 2018



JOIN US IN PREPARING  
OCOTILLO WELLS FOR  
A FUN NEW YEAR OF  
OHV ADVENTURE!

8:00AM-10:00AM  
REGISTRATION

8:00AM-12:00PM  
TRASH CLEANUP

12:00PM-1:00PM  
CHILI DOGS  
GAMES  
PRIZES!!!

MEET AT THE DISCOVERY  
CENTER PARKING LOT

## REMEMBER TO TREAD LIGHTLY!

- T - TRAVEL AND RECREATE WITH MINIMUM IMPACT
- R - RESPECT THE ENVIRONMENT AND RIGHTS OF OTHERS
- E - EDUCATE YOURSELF: PLAN BEFORE YOU GO
- A - ALLOW FOR FUTURE USE OF THE OUTDOORS:  
LEAVE IT BETTER THAN YOU FOUND IT
- D - DISCOVER THE REWARDS OF RESPONSIBLE RECREATION



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**THURSDAY, DECEMBER 27, 2018**



## **Military History @ Pumpkin Patch**

**10am-4pm**

Discover OW's military role during World War II.



## **Talking Pumpkins @ Pumpkin Patch**

**10am-4pm**

Discover OW's geologic "gems."



## **OW Rocks! @ Pumpkin Patch**

**10am-4pm**

See the geology of OW all in one place.



## **Solar Telescope @ Discovery Center**

**12:30-2:30pm**

Search for solar flares and sun spots.



## **Stargazing @ Amphitheater**

**5-9pm**

Check out the night skies through a stellar telescope.



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**FRIDAY, DECEMBER 28, 2018**



**Salton Sea Secrets @ Gas Domes**

**10am-4pm**

Get the facts about the Sea—past, present and future.



**Gnarly Beasts of the Past @ Pumpkin Patch**

**10am-4pm**

Giant prehistoric bears, sharks, sloths & cats.



**Mini Ranger Program @ Discovery Center**

**10:30am**

Jackrabbit—the Natural Radiator! For kids ages 3-6.



**Jr. Ranger Program @ Discovery Center**

**11:30am**

Jackrabbit—the Natural Radiator! For kids ages 7-12.



**Jr. Ranger Program @ Discovery Center**

**2pm**

Sidewinder- Surviving with Adaptations! Calling all kids ages 7-12!

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**SATURDAY, DECEMBER 29, 2018**



**FOW Cleanup @ Discovery Center**

**8am-noon**

Join the Friends of Ocotillo Wells as we clean up your desert!



**Desert Animal Extravaganza @ Gas Domes**

**10am-4pm**

Meet some critters, from badgers to scorpions.



**Mini Ranger Program @ Discovery Center**

**10:30am**

Desert Cleanup! For kids ages 3-6.



**Jr. Ranger Program @ Discovery Center**

**11:30am**

Desert Cleanup! For kids ages 7-12.



**FOW Cleanup Chili Dog Lunch @ Discovery Ctr.**

**12-1pm**

Join FOW for lunch after cleaning up the desert!



**Jr. Ranger Program @ Discovery Center**

**2pm**

Nature's Drug Store! For kids ages 7-12.



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# Coming Events at Ocotillo Wells

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**SUNDAY, DECEMBER 30, 2018**



**Gnarly Beasts of the Past @ Gas Domes**

**10am-4pm**

Giant prehistoric bears, sharks, sloths & cats.



**Mini Ranger Program @ Discovery Center**

**10:30am**

Desert Nature Scavenger Hunt! For kids ages 3-6.



**Jr. Ranger Program @ Discovery Center**

**11:30am**

Archaeology—Explore the History of the Past! For kids ages 7-12.



**RC Jeep Challenge @ Discovery Center**

**12:30-2:30pm**

Test your Treadlightly! skills on our RC Crawler Course.



**Jr. Ranger Program @ Discovery Center**

**2pm**

Kit Fox and His Amazing Survival Skills! For kids ages 7-12.



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**MONDAY, DECEMBER 31, 2018**



**Desert Animal Extravaganza @ Gas Domes**

**10am-3pm**

Meet some critters, from badgers to scorpions.



**Solar Oven @ Gas Domes**

**10am-3pm**

Come see what's cookin'!



**Mini Ranger Program @ Discovery Center**

**10:30am**

BADger—The Fierce Desert Digger! For kids ages 3-6.



**Jr. Ranger Program @ Discovery Center**

**11:30am**

BADger—The Fierce Desert Digger! For kids ages 7-12.



**Jr. Ranger Explorer Zone @ Discovery Center**

**2-4pm**

Colorful Characters! For kids ages 7-12.



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***FIRST DAY  
RIDE***

**TUESDAY, JANUARY 1, 2019**

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RIDE***

Kick off the New Year by joining us for our 4x4 off-road tour on January 1, 2019.

## **Scat, Tracks, Desert Holes—An OW Adventure**

**9am-noon**

Join us as we travel to several sites in the southern region of Ocotillo Wells to discover the mysteries of scat, tracks and holes. See your park like you have never seen it before!

Meet at 9am at the Discovery Center. Come prepared with a high-clearance, 4WD vehicle, water and snacks.



Stop by Gas Domes for fun-filled activities focusing on OHV recreation safety and to map YOUR first day ride!

## **OHV Safety Carnival Games @ Gas Domes**

**10am-2pm**

Have fun learning ways to keep yourself safe at OW!

## **Map Your First Day Ride @ Gas Domes**

**10am-2pm**

Where was your first-day-of-the-year ride? Show us on our giant map.

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## Upcoming Festivals at the Discovery Center

### **Kids Adventure Connection!**

**January 19-20, 2019**

Calling all OW kids ages 7-12! Join us with a parent or guardian for a campout weekend full of activities and explore OW's backyard while having fun! Call Sharon at 949-682-6676 to sign up.

### **Hot Stars & Heavenly Bodies Astronomy Festival**

**January 26, 2019**

Look safely through our Solar Telescope or check out the night sky through giant telescopes provided by guest astronomers during our astronomy festival!

### **Geology Daze! Geology Festival**

**February 16-18, 2019**

Join us for a weekend full of exciting geology programs for adults and kids, and see for yourself why Ocotillo Wells rocks!

### **Bug-a-Palooza Bug Festival**

**March 23-24, 2019**

Join our Scorpion Safari, check out the bug magnets or participate in other exciting activities for kids of all ages.

### **Eggs-travaganza**

**April 6, 2019**

Egg hunts for kids ages 6 and under and for kids ages 7-12, plus lots of fun games and activities.

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